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parties believe that mediation is likely to be productive at this time, as significant discovery has taken place to date. In that regard, this matter has been referred to Magistrate Judge Dimke for mediation, and a settlement conference has been scheduled for August 25, 2020.

Dated this 18th day of June, 2020.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that on the 18th day of June, 2020, I electronically filed the foregoing document with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system. The CM/ECF system will send notification of such filings to the following:

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